

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Masahiro Tada                      ATTY DOCKET NO. 09792909-6091  
SERIAL NO. 10/522,080                      GROUP ART UNIT: 2818  
FILING DATE: January 21, 2005                      EXAMINER: Thao P. Le  
INVENTION: 'MICROMACHINE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE  
MICROMACHINE'

**'RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT'**

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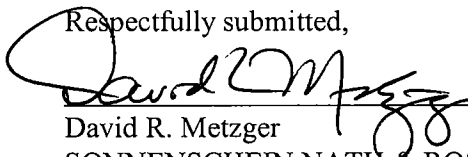
This amendment is being filed in response to the Office communication dated April 7, 2006.  
Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

**ELECTION OF INVENTION**

In response to the restriction requirement, applicants hereby elect Group I claims 1-3 for further examination.

Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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